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Commanding General
Building 1
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SUBJ: Record of Decision
Operable Unit 13, Site 63
MCB Camp Lejeune NPL Site
Jacksonville, North Carolina

Dear Sir:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region 4 has reviewed the above subject decision document and concurs with the selected remedy for the Remedial Action at Site 63. This remedy is supported by the previously completed Remedial Investigation and Baseline Risk Assessment Reports.

The selected remedial alternative is no further action. This involves taking no further remedial actions at the site and leaving the environmental media as they currently exist. This remedial action is protective of human health and the environment, complies with Federal and State requirements that are legally applicable or relevant and appropriate to the remedial action and is cost effective.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Richard D. Green", is written over the word "Sincerely,".

Richard D. Green
Acting Director
Waste Management Division

cc: Elsie Munsell, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Navy
Neal Paul, Camp Lejeune
Kate Landman, LANTDIV
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DECISION DECLARATION

Site Name and Location

Operable Unit No. 13
(Site 63 - Verona Loop Dump)
Marine Corps Base
Camp Lejeune, North Carolina

Decision Basis and Purpose

This Record of Decision document presents the selected remedy for Operable Unit (OU) No. 13 at Marine Corps Base (MCB), Camp Lejeune, North Carolina. The remedy for OU No. 13 has been selected in accordance with the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as amended by the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act, and, to the extent practicable, the National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan. The decision presented herein is based upon the collaborative effort of federal, state, and community participants and information contained within the Administrative Record for OU No. 13.

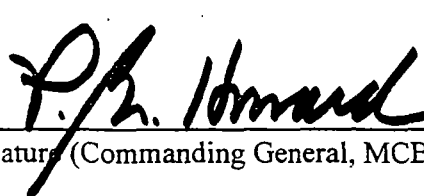
The Department of the Navy and the Marine Corps have obtained concurrence for the selected remedy from the North Carolina Department of Environment, Health and Natural Resources and the United States Environmental Protection Agency Region IV. Prior to any future deviation from the specified remedy additional concurrence shall be obtained.

Description of the Selected Remedy

The selected remedy for OU No. 13 is No Further Action with Institutional Controls. The selected remedy, as the name implies, involves taking no further action at the site and leaving the environmental media as they currently exist. In addition, aquifer use restrictions in the Base Master Plan will prohibit the installation of water supply wells within 1,000 feet of OU No. 13. In the event that unforeseen hazards posed by conditions at the site occur in the future, monitoring to verify that no unacceptable exposures have occurred may be authorized.

Declaration Statement

No further action is required at OU No. 13 to ensure the continued protection of human health and the environment. Based upon risk assessment results and aquifer use restrictions implemented by MCB Camp Lejeune, site conditions at OU No. 13 appear to be protective of human health and environment both now and in the future.



Signature (Commanding General, MCB Camp Lejeune)

03 APR 1997

Date